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THE MORNING'S NEWS

The Times Associated Press Reports Briefed

THE CITY—Pages 7, 8, 9, 10, 11.

The case of the women charged with arson... Wong Cheeheid to \$10,000 bail... The other Chinamen denied bail... An old man mourns his departed child... A chain gang incident... The Verdugo robberies. SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA—Page 11.

A San Bernardino business house failed for a large amount... Hunting big game in Orange county mountains... Prospect of further extension of the Pasadena electric railway... Santa Monica objects to more saloons.

PACIFIC COAST—Pages 1, 2, 3.

The Senate votes in favor of the Woman Suffrage Bill and it now goes to the Governor... Suit commenced against the Stanford estate by the United States government... Arrest of J. T. McGee, produce merchant at San Francisco... The Y.M.C.A. of San Jose in financial straits... Irrigation suit in Fresno.

GENERAL EASTERN—Pages 1, 2, 3, 4.

President Cleveland on his return to Washington... Text of the cablegram of Secretary Gresham to United States Minister Taylor at Madrid regarding the firing on the American mail steamer Allianca by a Spanish gunboat... Puffball Corbett speaks of the coming fight between O'Donnell and Kilrain... Erastus Wyman granted a new trial... Coal-miners' wages advanced... Suspension of Butlerick & Gillman of New York... Affairs of the Wood Harvester Company of Chicago... Arrested Americans in Nicaragua set at liberty... Naval cadet, appointments by outgoing Congressmen... The United States Supreme Court takes a recess until next Monday... New national banks authorized... Report that the Cuban revolutionaries have held a convention and formed a provisional government... Affairs in Colombia... Everything continues quiet at New Orleans.

AT LARGE—Pages 1, 2, 3, 4.

Dispatches were also received from White Plains, N. Y.; Mt. Pleasant, Pa.; Cleveland, O.; St. Paul, Minn.; Vacaville, Cal.; St. Joseph, Mich.; Stockton, Cal.; Winchester, Va.; Spokane, Wash., and from other places. BY CABLE—Pages 1, 2, 3. Suit in Paris against Comedian Coquelin... France will tax European refined sugars... The Waterloo coursing... Illness of Queen Victoria's private secretary... Particulars of the surrender of the Liu-Kung forts to the Japanese and suicide of Admiral Ting... Death of Sir Robert Duff, Governor of New South Wales. FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL—Page 5.

A had feature of the banking business... The Florida freeze... Temperatures... The advance in the price of silver... Auction sale of oranges at San Francisco... Bradstreet's review: WEATHER FORECAST. SAN FRANCISCO, March 15.—For Southern California: Fair; slowly rising temperature; light frosts in exposed places tonight; light to fresh, variable winds.

AWFUL TRAGEDY.

Some More Italians Do Some More Bloody Work. Associated Press London-wire Service.

MINNEAPOLIS (Minn.) March 15.—A special to the Tribune from Carleton, Minn., says: An awful tragedy occurred at McGregor, about thirty miles west of here, this morning. A family of the name of Jeanette, consisting of father, mother and four children, the eldest 12 and the youngest a babe, lived in a cabin and kept a small store. Two Italians who were clearing up a homestead near by, had trouble with Jeanette over some logs, which resulted in a quarrel last night. The Italians, Nick and Angelo Cristello, returned this morning to renew the quarrel with Winchester rifles and shotguns. Nick shot Jeanette with his side, and Angelo shot Mrs. Jeanette with the Winchester, blowing the top of her head off, killing both instantly. The children were in bed at the time. The murderers escaped to the woods. The cabin presented a sickening sight, blood and brains being scattered all over the floor. The children were shivering with terror. About noon the murderers came to McGregor and said they were going to Aitken to give themselves up, but the local officers held them until the arrival of the sheriff, who at once took them to Aitken to the county jail.

The Jeanettes were a much respected family in the neighborhood, and intense excitement prevails. The principal reason for the murderers' returning was that they were afraid of being lynched by woodmen in the camps around the scene of the murder.

Wreck Causes Wreck.

INDIANAPOLIS, March 15.—This morning the Vandalia wreck, near Torre Haute, resulted in the destruction of an express car and part of a baggage car. Several trainmen were injured, but no passengers. Two Adams express safes were taken from the ruins this morning, almost at white heat. They contain probably as much as \$100,000. In the safe the heat had melted the coin inside.

Sunset Opposition.

STOCKTON, March 15.—A new telephone company has been formed in this city, which proposes to run in opposition to the Sunset Company. The capital stock is to be \$100,000. Already \$5000 has been subscribed. Four of the stockholders are residents of this city, and the fifth from Boston. Articles of incorporation will be filed next Monday.

AN APOLOGY

Wanted Regarding the Allianca.

Why the Spanish Cruiser Fired on Her.

The Secretary of State Sends a Cable to Minister Taylor at Madrid.

Instructs Him to Request from the Government of Spain a Prompt Disavowal of the Act Complaind Of.

Associated Press London-wire Service.

MADRID, March 15.—(By Atlantic Cable.) The following cablegram has been received here by Mr. Taylor, United States Minister at Madrid:

"This department is informed that on the 8th inst. the United States mail steamer Allianca, on her homeward voyage from Colon to New York, when six miles from the coast of Cuba, off Cape May, was repeatedly fired upon by a Spanish gunboat with solid shot, which frequently fell short. The windward passage, where this occurred is the natural and usual highway for vessels plying between the ports of the United States and the Caribbean Sea. Several regular lines of American mail and commercial steamers pass weekly within sight of Cape May. They are well known and their voyage embraces no Cuban port of call. Forcible interference with them cannot be claimed as a belligerent act, unless they pass within three miles of the Cuban coast, and cannot under any circumstances be tolerated when no state of war exists.

"This government will expect a prompt disavowal of the unauthorized act and a due expression of regret upon the part of Spain. It must further insist that immediate and positive orders be given to Spanish naval commanders not to interfere with legitimate commerce passing through that channel, prohibiting all acts of hostility and compelling the representative of the United States of the United States. You will communicate this to the Minister of Foreign Affairs and urge the importance of a prompt and satisfactory response. (Signed) GRESHAM."

HE IS ASTONISHED.

WASHINGTON, March 15.—The text of Secretary Gresham's demand on Spain was shown by the representative of the Associated Press to Senor Muruaga, Spanish Minister.

"I am astonished," said he, "that this course should be taken when only one side of the story has been told, and any action must be based on the ex-parte statement of Capt. Crossman."

The Minister scanned the text of the demand forwarded to Spain, commenting on the severity of the language that "this government will expect a prompt disavowal" and "due expression of regret on the part of Spain," with "immediate and positive orders" to Spanish naval commanders.

Senor Muruaga had received no copy of the demand from the State Department, nor any intimation that this step had been, or would be, taken. Nor had any word yet come from the Spanish government to him.

"Certainly there will be no reply," he said, "until all the facts are known, not alone from Capt. Crossman, but from the commander of the Spanish gunboat alleged to have fired on the Allianca. Spain will wait until she is able to act intelligently on the whole case. Spain will undoubtedly rest upon the recognized principle of international law, that a country maintains a sovereignty over the waters within her jurisdictional district limits."

He regarded the terms of the demand as surprising inasmuch that the interference with American ships cannot be claimed as a belligerent act, whether they pass within three miles of the Cuban coast or not. This is considered a denial of the recognized sovereignty of Spain over the jurisdictional waters of Cuba.

"There is another very important consideration," he observed, "the United States made this demand, then it is essential that the United States take steps to prevent the shipping of insurgent goods intended to be used against Spain. Already it has been established that three yachts, the Lagonda, Baracoa and Amadis, loaded with insurgent arms at Fernand, Florida. They had been apprehended, but were subsequently released. The arms were put in a warehouse, pending the arrest of the yachtsmen. When this was settled that Mr. Borlan, in charge of them, had shipped them to unknown points is notorious."

The Minister said that this traffic was going on, and it was essential that Spain should protect herself, or should have the protection of the United States. If, therefore, a demand had been made by the United States, it would be opportune to consider what protection would be given to Spain. The State Department officials today rather expected that Spain's answer would indicate a desire by the Spanish government for a proper opportunity to ascertain the facts before taking action in the matter. But this, it is said at the department, will scarcely avail in the present case, under the message conveys some assurance that the Spanish government has instructed its naval commanders to refrain from further interference with vessels flying the American flag.

THE NEW DETIUM.

A notable feature of Secretary Gresham's dispatch is in the statement that when an American vessel is in her usual route, the fact that she is inside or outside the three-mile limit does not affect the merits of the case. From this it is apparent that the Secretary has taken his stand on the decision of the Alabama Claims Commission, which was practically a new dictum in international law, for it had been the rule, previous to that decision, to regard, as beyond question, the right of a nation to detain suspicious vessels passing within a limit of three miles from its coast, over which its marine jurisdiction extended. It will undoubtedly cost

BETTER NOT RILE YOUR UNCLE SAMUEL.

Spain a bitter effort to accept the force of this doctrine, for if the right to stop suspicious ships in Cuba's waters is denied, the task of maintaining an effective blockade against filibustering expeditions will be extremely difficult, if not impossible, without recourse to the formal acknowledgment of the belligerency of the insurgents.

It is fully expected, in view of the prompt action of the Spanish Minister here, that if Spain was wrong she will be swayed by it. Capt. Crossman is not, however, the Spanish government should be stung by the urgency shown by the United States and refuse to meet our demands, Minister Taylor will demand his passports, and unless cooler counsels may be coming from some disinterested and friendly nation, some ugly complication may result, ending in the presence of a considerable fleet of United States naval vessels in Cuban waters to protect American shipping.

STILL UNINFORMED. WASHINGTON, March 15.—Senor Muruaga, the Spanish Minister, had not been informed up to 11 o'clock today, either by his government or by the State Department, of the United States demand upon Spain through our Minister at Madrid.

His report from the Governor-General of Cuba states there is no information of a Spanish gunboat from the officials along the eastern coast of Cuba, where the supposed outrage occurred.

"For my part," said the Minister, "this looks very much like a sea-serpent affair. Every now and then a captain states he has seen a sea serpent and came near being swallowed by it. Capt. Crossman is, no doubt, a worthy officer, but it looks very much as though he had a dream as to seeing a Spanish gunboat. The proper course would be to exact affidavits from the crew and passengers of the Allianca, and find out if they agreed with the statement of Capt. Crossman."

A letter from the Captain-General of Cuba, received by Minister Muruaga, says that everything is quiet in the five provinces and that the only danger comes from the possibility of shipping arms, ammunition and men from the United States. The people of Cuba, reports the Captain-General, are entirely opposed to all the disturbance, this being the case even with the leaders of the former revolution. He discredited the report that the revolutionists had had a constitutional convention, chosen a commander-in-chief and envoys to foreign governments, and were about to choose a president for the new republic and issue a declaration of independence.

The Minister also denied the report of the killing of 500 Spanish soldiers at the battle of Vega, saying that such a calamity would be quickly reported to him.

IT'S ALL TRUE.

NEW YORK, March 15.—Although Senor Muruaga, the Spanish Minister at Washington, says that the story of a Spanish man-of-war firing on the Allianca, the Colombian line, looks like a sea-serpent story, the officers of the ship when seen this afternoon by the Associated Press reporter were very emphatic in their denunciations of the attack.

The first officer, Benjamin Corning, who was in charge of the ship, described the attack made on the American steamer by the Spanish man-of-war, saying: "It does not matter what the Spanish Minister may think about it, but I can tell you this is no fish story. The Allianca was about six leagues off the shore at 6:30 on the morning of March 8. I was not the officer of the deck, as Mr. Russell was on the bridge and the captain was looking around. When about three leagues off we hoisted our ensign, and dipped it three times and the oncoming steamer answered it with a similar salute. Shortly afterward I recognized her to be a Spanish man-of-war. We kept on our course, which was a little farther off land than usual, being fully three leagues from the shore.

"I was standing at when we signalled, and was very much surprised when the warship opened fire on us. The first three shots were evidently blanks, as I saw no shell touch the water."

First Officer Corning warmed up as he detailed the story of the firing, and said: "Now, mind you, we did not slow up; not a bit. We kept on our way. After firing the three blank shots the Spanish boat was in our wake, about three miles off, and she hauled her wind to the lee-

ward so as to let her guns bear on us, when she fired three shots at intervals of a quarter of an hour. Two of the shells dropped 400 yards on our starboard quarter, and they landed the third a similar distance on our port quarter. We kept going, and we soon showed the Spanish skipper a clean pair of heels.

"In less than an hour after the fusillade we lost sight of the Spaniard, and she would be sailing at not being able to bring us to a standstill. There is no truth in the statement that on our future voyages we are going to be armed, as there is no necessity for our doing so for we can run away from any Spanish warship afoot."

"An officer of the Atlas steamship Atlas has made an assertion that the steamer had us in sight from early morning on the day of the outrage until sundown. This is erroneous, for when we had outstripped the Spanish warship we could only see the smoke of the Atlas, as she was hull down, not even a spar to be seen. This was 8:30 a.m., and we only observed her identity as we passed her at 6:50 p.m. in the evening, when we were going in Fortune Inlet."

Second Officer Russell and Third Officer Mobray each detailed the occurrences, corroborating the statement of Officer Corning, but giving no new facts.

CAPT. CROSSMAN ILL. NEW YORK, March 15.—Capt. Crossman of the steamship Allianca left the steamer today complaining of illness.

It was said at the offices of the Panama Railway Company that the ultimatum of Secretary Gresham, demanding an apology of Spain, was probably the official answer to Capt. Crossman's affidavit, and that a dispatch sent to Mr. Gresham by the President of the company Wednesday evening day of the company's vessels passed through Windward Passage monthly; that one would be off Cape May, north-bound, tomorrow, and another pass there Sunday, and that a regard for life and property urged the adoption of some immediate measure to compel Spain to prevent any additional outrages."

WISE WORDS. ROME, March 15.—The Italia says: "We must be careful not to misjudge the peculiar position of the Federal government, which cannot be compared with that of any European State, and we must remember a single case of monstrous lynch law, under special circumstances in one State of the Union, cannot give cause for a diplomatic quarrel between Washington and Rome."

POTATO FARMS

To be Started in Aid of the Poor and Needy. By Telegram to The Times.

NEW YORK, March 15.—(Special Dispatch.) At a special meeting of the New York Charities Conference it was decided to adopt the scheme of potato farms for the poor which was begun by Mayor Pingree in Detroit last summer, with great success. A committee, headed by Bolton Hall, was appointed to carry out the plan on a large scale.

It is simply obtaining the use of idle tracts of land in the city and dividing them up into patches of a third of an acre for each family. Potatoes for planting and other vegetable seed, will be furnished. Each man must then attend to his little farm, and all products are his own. Surprising yields are made from highly-cultivated patches, and it has been demonstrated that one-third of an acre will supply a good living for a family of five persons. It is expected thousands of acres will be tendered when asked for.

THEATRICAL NAPOLEONS

Making Money Faster Than They Can Spend It. By Telegram to The Times.

CHICAGO, March 15.—(Special Dispatch.) Abbey, Schoeffel and Grau are the Napoleons of the theatrical world.

This week they are covering New York, Washington and Chicago. Their weekly salary list and expenses account exceeds the annual compensation of the President of the United States, figuring up nearly \$60,000, of which the opera company now appearing in Chicago stands for nearly \$35,000.

The opera company numbers 250 people. Bierbohm Tree's company has forty-seven people. Mme. Rejane is assisted by thirty-nine actors and actresses, while Lillian Russell, this week in Washington, carries a company of 104 people. Abbey and his associates made a clear profit of \$20,000 during the week their opera company was in Baltimore and Washington, notwithstanding their heavy expenses.

THE NEW DEAL

In the Los Angeles Electric Road.

It is at the Mercy of the Bondholders.

Charge that Sherman Saved Himself and Sacrificed His Friends.

The Committee Has Determined to Begin Foreclosure Proceedings and Sell the Property Under the Trust Deed.

Associated Press London-wire Service.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 15.—Interest on the \$3,000,000 bonds of the Los Angeles Consolidated Electric Company defaulted at midnight and the property is now at the mercy of the bondholders.

While the latter have not determined upon their course, it is settled that they will take the road, unless M. H. Sherman, who is reputed a financier, develops a plan.

In all the deal it is said that Sherman is the largest beneficiary, and it is charged that he has saved himself at the expense of his friends. The stock, nominally six millions, represents only a small sum in actual money, but although the bondholders have the winning hand and can secure absolute control of the property, they desire to give the stockholders a chance.

After considering the various propositions for three or four weeks the bondholders' committee has determined that foreclosure proceedings are absolutely necessary and that the property will be sold under the trust deed. Whether the new company will be organized before or after the sale has not been determined. Most likely it will be organized first and then be permitted to buy in the property, unless there should be higher bidders.

It is said that Mr. Trumbull, representative of the Chicago bondholders, will be general manager. Mr. Sherman desires the superintendence for his brother-in-law, Mr. Clark, at present acting manager, but the place will probably be retained by the incumbent.

CENTRAL PACIFIC STOCK.

A Report that Mr. Huntington Has Guaranteed Dividends.

By Telegram to The Times.

NEW YORK, March 15.—(Special Dispatch.) Private information was received in New York today that Sir Charles Rivers Wilson had assured the shareholders of the Central Pacific Railway that Huntington had offered to adjust the relations between the Southern and Central Pacific companies, guaranteeing semi-annual dividends of 1 1/2 per cent. of the stock of the latter, beginning next July and continuing until satisfactory legislation could be had for the settlement of the debt to the government. The apparent truth of this report was reflected in the strength of the stock in both New York and London.

Mr. Huntington, who returned today from Washington, said he had not been at his office for two days, and hence could not say whether the story was true or not. He did not care to say whether he favored the payment of a dividend or not.

ENGLISH SHAREHOLDERS.

Of the Central Pacific Have a Meeting in London.

By Telegram to The Times.

LONDON, March 15.—(Special Dispatch.) Sir Charles Rivers Wilson, who went to California last winter to investigate the Central Pacific Railway affairs, read his report at the meeting of the English shareholders today.

He had not found, he said, any noteworthy cases in which the Southern Pacific had diverted traffic from the Central Pacific. The charges brought by Central Pacific officials against the Southern Pacific had certainly been exaggerated.

He was convinced some of the losses to the Southern Pacific were illegal on the ground that the same persons were parties to both sides of the contract, also owing to the inadequacy of consideration. It should be the object of the shareholders to obtain real representation on the board of directors as soon as possible. There would be no difficulty if the shareholders would act together. The future prosperity of the Central Pacific would be found in an equitable union with the Southern Pacific.

C. J. Banbury, who presided, said Sir Charles had consented to return to the United States and continue his negotiation with the government.

PUBLIC SCHOOL SYSTEM.

Canadians Incensed at Roman Catholic Interference in It.

Associated Press London-wire Service.

TORONTO, March 15.—The Executive Committee of the Canadian Protective Association has issued a manifesto, in which a solemn protest is entered against Dominion interference in the Manitoba school question. It accuses the Catholic hierarchy of stirring up feelings of discontent in the minds of French half-breeds, who, it left alone, would have accepted the school act without question. There is a very slight veiled threat that if the Dominion government accedes to the hierarchy's demand, civil war will be engendered, "as happened" to use the words of the manifesto, "to the great country to the south of us, when \$4,000,000,000 was expended and the lives of a million men were sacrificed to make good arguments for state and federal rights." Continuing, the manifesto says: "To prevent a recurrence of attempts to destroy the public school system of the various provinces and to restore harmony among all our people, irrespective of creed, we ask all of our members and every patriotic citizen to unite in the just demand that Jesuits be forthwith expelled from this country."

The manifesto is being sent broadcast over the country by mail and wire tonight.











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## IT IS COSTLY.

The loss of revenues by reason of Democratic mismanagement is by no means the greatest loss to the people from that cause. The loss of revenues is a mere bagatelle in comparison to the losses which all classes of the people have suffered, through the widespread stagnation of industry, the lowering of the wages, the shrinkage of values, and throwing of hundreds of thousands of honest workmen out of employment.

Notwithstanding the stagnation of business, and the consequent decrease of the tax-paying ability of the people, all the money borrowed to pay the expenses of the government must be paid back with heavy interest. The interest on the ten-year 5 per cent. bonds will amount to 50 per cent. of the principal, or \$50,000,000, and that on the thirty-year 4 per cent. bonds will amount to 120 per cent. of the principal, or about \$75,000,000. Thus the total interest charge will be about \$125,000,000, to say nothing of the \$163,000,000 of principal.

The gross cost of the three bond issues, to the government, will be in the neighborhood of \$288,000,000. From the three loans the government has derived, in gold, some \$184,000,000, including premiums. Thus the total loss to the government, in interest to be paid on those loans, will be about \$104,000,000. But the loss of the people at large, by reason of the financial and business depression and the shrinkage of values will aggregate at least ten times the amount of the losses to the government directly.

Democratic mismanagement is an expensive luxury which the people cannot afford to indulge in very often.

Japan's terms of peace seem not to be exorbitant, under the circumstances. They are, in substance, as follows: First, the Island of Formosa, which has been a bone of contention from time immemorial, to be ceded to Japan; second, Japan will have extrajurisdiction over China, but China will not have jurisdiction over Japan; third, Japan will occupy Port Arthur and Wei-Hai-Wei for a term of years; fourth, China shall surrender all claims to the suzerainty of Korea; fifth, China will pay Japan a cash indemnity not to exceed \$250,000,000 in gold. There is not much probability that any of the European powers will feel called upon to interfere with the execution of terms so reasonable. Japan has won her victories honestly and valiantly. She is entitled to the fruits thereof. The cash indemnity, though large, will be more than sufficient to reimburse her for the expenses of the war. China will be obliged to accept the terms dictated by Japan, unless England or some other nation intervenes, which is not probable.

It is announced by the management of the "Cotton States and International Exposition," to be held at Atlanta, Ga., from September 18 to December 31 of this year, that the Committee on Public Comfort has taken measures to provide satisfactory accommodations for all visitors. It is proposed to adopt the Philadelphia system, which was found to work better than the one used at Chicago. The Public Comfort Bureau will be a department of exposition work, and the business will be kept in the control of the management, and not let as a concession. If properly managed, this feature of the exposition will be a great convenience and help to visitors.

A Northern contemporary mentions an "anomalous" state of affairs for that American cloth is being sold in English markets, and even in the English manufacturing districts. There is nothing "anomalous" nor unusual about it. For many years past the coarser grades of American woollens and cottons have sold in the English markets in competition with English fabrics of like grade. English manufacturers excel in the production of the finer fabrics, but they acknowledge the superiority of the coarser fabrics of American manufacture, which are sold at so low a price that the En-

glish find competition difficult. American manufacturers are producing finer and finer grades of goods, and the time may come when they can compete with the English on all grades, though England has exhausted centuries of skill and experience in the production of the finer fabrics.

The administration, through Secretary Gresham, has promptly demanded an apology from Spain for the firing upon the Allamilla. This prompt and vigorous action is highly commendable. It is also somewhat in the nature of a surprise, as the foreign policy of the present administration has been, as a rule, weak and vacillating. From the evidence at hand it appears that the act of the Spanish commander in firing upon an American vessel was wholly unjustifiable. An apology is due, and if it is not forthcoming promptly Uncle Sam should learn the reason why.

A Populist pamphleteer declares that "the tariff can be talked about more years with less practical result than any other political issue ever presented to the people." Maybe so. But the tariff talk which led up to the Gorman-Wilson act has not been without result. Business is improving somewhat, but we are still feeling the effects of deficient revenues, and will continue to feel them so long as it is necessary to run the government on borrowed money.

If China can borrow gold in Europe to pay the Japanese indemnity, Europe is likely to draw quite heavily upon the United States for reimbursement. This would hit the United States Treasury another hard blow, and would probably force another bond issue. It has not been supposed that the oriental war would have much effect upon the United States; but such a thing is possible, and perhaps probable.

One of the proposed amendments to the Illinois ballot law is that no voter shall be permitted to write the name of any person in any place on the voting paper, nor to put any mark thereon other than his vote marks. It is very doubtful, however, if such a law would be valid. Voters have a constitutional right to vote for whomsoever they choose, and it is questionable if State legislatures have power to deprive them of this right.

An organization has been formed in Fresno, the object of which is to increase the population of that county to 100,000 in the near future. The precise new method of procedure has not yet been formulated, but the object of the association is certainly laudable. Perhaps if a few matrimonial prizes were offered good results might be obtained. "Quien sabe?"

The San Francisco Examiner expresses the opinion that had a Democratic Legislature been sent to Sacramento, "the Purty of Elections act would not have been threatened with mutilation." Judging from the "purity" of the election held in San Francisco last November, the law stands in need of either "mutilation," enforcement or repeal.

All the larger cities are complaining of the too great speed of trolley cars, and the consequent loss of life. The way to reform is to reform. Every city has power to regulate the speed of trolley cars, and to compel the use of life-saving fenders. If city councils neglect to pass and enforce necessary remedial legislation, they have no kick coming.

It is a noteworthy fact that Ford parents are not naming their new-born male offspring "Grover Cleveland" so often as they were a few years ago.

## PITH OF THE PRESS.

(San Francisco Chronicle) The news that Catarino Garza, the professional Mexican bandit and revolutionist, has been killed fighting in Colombia, is almost too good to be true, but that anybody in California has any personal feeling against him, but he was such a thorn in the side of every American newspaper which was trying to cover Mexican news.

(Freno Republican) Riding and bloodshed at New Orleans appear to be due to race prejudices working through white labor organizations. The law, as usual, has been powerless to protect the weaker class from the lawless. It is not about time, fellow citizens, to inaugurate a reign of law and order in this country?

(Riverside Press) It is to be hoped that the Legislature will not adjourn without providing for the calling of a constitutional convention. The present Constitution was the offspring of the Kearney agitation, and was so full of defects at the outset that it never should have been adopted. The people of the State are capable of framing a better Constitution now. At any rate it would be better to make one job of it than to attempt to gradually improve it by amending it from year to year.

(Fortuna Advance) The question of giving pupils of public schools military training is being discussed at the present time by the press of the State, which seems to be of the opinion that the grade pupils were given such instructions a year ago. Patriotism and military tactics are two things that could be profitably taught, is the opinion of the Advance.

## THE PUBLIC SERVICE

## North Main Street Pavement Under Discussion.

Dr. Kurtz Declares that Part of the City Has Been Badly Neglected.

Sewer Proceedings Adjudged Illegal and Void by Judge York—Two Cases from This District are Affirmed.

The Board of Public Works yesterday acted on a large number of matters. Among other things it was decided to recommend that certain street railway companies be directed to repair their portion of certain streets. The Mayor vetoed two ordinances or intention for sidewalk work, for reasons given by him.

At the Courthouse yesterday the main attraction was the examination into the case of the Township Court. Judge York decided the case of White vs. Harris, which involved the validity of the proceedings in a local sewer, in favor of the defendants.

## AT THE CITY HALL.

North Main Street Pavement. BOARD OF PUBLIC WORKS HEARS PROPERTY-OWNERS.

The Board of Public Works had an elaborate bill of fare before it at the meeting yesterday. The menu included the question of estimates on street work, which was followed by a course of lively "kicking" on the part of property-owners, who asserted that their part of the city was being neglected by the city authorities. After the cigars were lighted there was a discussion of the laying out of certain assessment districts on street opening, and the men, which had been formal all the way through, was concluded with the disposition of some lighter questions, which caused Councilman Kingery to smile, and which, after dinner smiles, that he had had enough.

The question of estimates of cost of street work, proposed to be done under the bond act, was considered soon after the dinner. President Teed, who was chairman, was absent, but President Teed of the City Council and Committee on Sewer and Kingery attended.

President Teed said he thought a new rule should be adopted in the matter of making these estimates. Heretofore it had been the custom, when such a matter was referred to the City, for the officer to report merely whether the proposed work was estimated to cost more or less than \$1 per front foot.

In order to conform with the law, President Teed said he believed that the City Engineer should report to the Council the estimate in detail, and then let the Council judge as to whether the cost would be more or less than \$1 per front foot.

Neither of the other members of the board raised any objection against the adoption of such a rule. The proposition was gathered that possibly the action was taken with a view that it might be a "slap" at the City Engineer, who has had some differences with certain members of the Council.

This impression appeared to be an erroneous one, however, for the reason that the street work, as proposed, had been change had been in vogue both with Mr. Dockweiler and with Mr. Compton, as City Engineer.

Dr. Joseph Kurtz, M. A. Newman, H. C. Lichtenberger and other property-owners appeared, and it was complained that the pavement on Main street, between First and Arcadia streets, was in bad condition and in need of repairs.

It was explained that the pavement in question is composed of basalt block, covered with a coating of asphalt, and that it would wear away very rapidly, but if it were removed and the blocks left bare, the travel over the street would be so noisy as to seriously disturb people along the line.

President Teed said he thought it would do little good to put more asphalt on the street there, for the reason that when put on the street, the composition of part of the pavement would soon wear off and be in as bad condition as before. It was argued that the city had accepted the street there, and was bound to take care of it, and keep it in repair. Dr. Kurtz said that the street railway company ought to be made to repair its portion of the street, and that the city should make out a prima facie case, and upon the case of Dowling vs. Conniff (103 Cal. 78) and others, sustaining the constitutionality of that provision.

The defendants introduced the resolution, or as here denominated, the ordinance of intention to do the work, adopted by the City Council, and specifications of the work done, together with other evidence. They contended that the ordinance of intention was fatally defective in that a portion of the work to be done was described as "the necessary" "necessary" manholes at the intersections of streets.

The word "necessary" being indefinite it is claimed that the work is not described, and that the ordinance of intention is fatally defective all subsequent proceedings, however regular in form, are without jurisdiction and absolutely void.

The court holds that this objection was sustained by the evidence, and that a lien could be created on defendants' lands by the proceedings shown to have been taken.

on his property, and the Health Officer would be very likely to make him go to the expense of abating the nuisance caused by the water.

It is possible that Mr. Donagan's side of the story is heard the matter will have a somewhat different aspect.

Has a Salutory Effect. AGITATION OF QUESTION OF CONTRACTORS' EXTENSIONS.

The recent discussion in the City Council relative to the granting of extensions on street contract work appears to have had a highly salutory effect with the contractors.

It is said that at least one contractor who has a piece of work unfinished which is likely to take about all the time that has been allowed him, is working nights in order to have the job completed within the time he has been granted.

It has been stated by members of the City Council that hereafter it is the intention of the contractor to make a place where he takes a piece of work, to state that he intends to finish it within the time allowed without having any extension of time granted him.

Did not Recommend.

In the report of Thursday's meeting of the Park Commission printed in The Times yesterday, it was stated that the commission recommended to the City Council that proceedings be instituted for the condemnation of land and a driveway around Echo Park. The commission decided to recommend this, but afterward reconsidered the decision and appointed a committee to interview the owner of the property needed for the driveway, and ask them to donate it for the purpose.

Expenses of Departments.

The report of the City Auditor for the year ending November 30, 1894, shows there was received \$158,454 for licenses, while the amount received the previous year was \$164,622. There was received in fees by city officers \$10,421.02, which sum is \$650 more than was received during the previous year. Comparative statements show the expenses of departments for the years ending November 30, 1893, and November 30, 1894, to have been as follows: Street department, \$123,167.00; street sweeping, \$16,066 and \$17,381; street sprinkling, \$37,388 and \$38,531; fire department, \$61,738 and \$72,022; common school department, \$32,169.00; common school expense, \$33,071 and \$46,548; electric lighting, \$34,465 and \$51,149; health department, \$24,638 and \$26,015; library department, \$14,675 and \$14,095; City Engineer's department, salaries and expense, \$25,395 and \$26,544; Tax Collector's office, salaries and expense, \$11,483 and \$9,995; City Assessor's office, salaries and expense, \$9,615 and \$9,807; police department, salaries and expense, \$75,983 and \$78,029; City Justices Courts, salaries and expense, \$7,686 and \$8,465.

City Hall Notes.

R. C. Horton and others have filed a protest against the opening of Bryant street to automobile traffic.

B. Sims and others have petitioned that the grade of the east side of Grand avenue, between Second and Third streets, be changed to a grade uniformly six inches lower than the present grade.

The Mayor has returned without his approval of the ordinance of intention to construct sidewalks on certain portions of Bryant street.

The members of the Police Commission are engaged in the question of the removal of Alameda street.

AT THE COURTHOUSE.

The Courts.

SEWER PROCEEDINGS ADJUDGED ILLEGAL BY JUDGE YORK.

Judge Waldo M. York rendered his decision yesterday afternoon in the case of S. White vs. C. T. Harris et al., an action to enforce the payment of an assessment for the construction of a sewer in this city.

Along the line of the sewer, the defendants for their costs, for the reasons given in a lengthy written opinion.

On the trial of the case plaintiff introduced in evidence the warrant, assessment certificate and diagram, with the affidavit of demand for non-payment, as provided in a sec. 12 of the act of March 18, 1885, amended March 11, 1889, and defendants moved for a non-suit, which was denied on the authority of that act, declaring that the street was not a public street, and that the city had no right to make out a prima facie case, and upon the case of Dowling vs. Conniff (103 Cal. 78) and others, sustaining the constitutionality of that provision.

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SUPREME COURT OPINIONS.

The Supreme Court has affirmed the judgment and order of the Superior Court of Santa Barbara in the case of Fernando Cardenas (appellant) vs. John F. Miller (respondent). This is an action in claim and delivery, to recover a quantity of barley or its value and damages. The court held that the plaintiff was entitled to recover the barley, and that the defendant was liable for the damages.

correspondents and the amount, \$121.42, placed to plaintiff's credit on its books the day before it failed. On the theory that defendant held the sum claimed in trust for the plaintiff judgment was rendered in favor of plaintiff. The Supreme Court holds that this judgment was clearly right, as the bank had no right to change its relation to plaintiff from that of agent to that of debtor by crediting her on its books with proceeds of the sale of the draft until after it had actually received the money from its New York correspondent.

Court Notes.

The Western Oil Company by its president, W. B. Cline, filed an application in the Superior Court yesterday for leave to dissolve.

Judge Shubert yesterday morning upon the charge of having committed burglary on March 2 last at St. Vincent's Hall, and upon entering his plea of guilty thereto was committed to the County Jail to await the term of one year.

Upon motion of the District Attorney information was filed in Department One yesterday, charging Henry Williams with petty larceny, as charged.

In Department Two yesterday, the cases of W. J. Turner et al. and S. R. Blake against D. W. Field, administrator, et al., two actions for services which were tried on March 7, 1895, were reviewed, the former being dismissed on motion of the plaintiff, and the Blake case being submitted for decision.

Judge Shubert yesterday rendered his decision in the case of the Strong Irrigation District vs. E. J. Baldwin et al., which has recently been submitted to him on demurrer to the complaint, ordering that said demurrer be overruled.

The case of Margaret Harris vs. Hilda Edwards, an action to quiet title to lot 10, block 4, A. A. tract, came up for hearing in Department Four yesterday, and the defendant having admitted the allegations of plaintiff's complaint in her answer, a decree was ordered for the plaintiff therein, as prayed.

In Department Five yesterday the case of W. J. Varley vs. W. H. Goucher et al., an action to recover \$500.00, alleged to be due to the balance made by defendant to the Long Beach Development Company on January 2, 1888, came on for trial before Judge Shaw, and at the close of the evidence was submitted for decision.

The trial of the damage suit instituted by Mrs. Harriet J. Davis against the Southern California Railway Company, for injury to her orchard, was continued in Department Six yesterday, so far as the taking of testimony is concerned, and went over for argument until Monday next.

A petition was filed in the Superior Court yesterday by the San Gabriel Valley Bank, praying for the appointment of a receiver for the Precipice Canyon Water Company, held as security for the payment of a note for \$12,000 given by M. Marshall Wotkyns, deceased, 1891, vice B. Marshall Wotkyns, deceased.

LA FIESTA.

ARRANGING PLANS FOR THE STREET PAGEANTS.

Skyrockets Will be Barred—The Matter of Illumination—The Floral Day—Riding Club and Other Attractions.

The Fiesta Parade Committee is engaged in solving the problem of the arrangement of the different street pageants for carnival week. It is a task of no small magnitude, owing to the variety and extent of the displays which are being reported by the various committees.

The committee is endeavoring to group the parades in accordance with the original intention of carnival week, and to have the subject was discussed at some length, and it is expected that a final determination will be reached within a few days.

It may be stated that every pageant will be complete and embrace displays which will be most interesting, the material being so varied that there will be no repetitions.

A question which has received careful attention at the hands of the Parade Committee is that of the illumination of the night display of the Pageant of the Pacific.

The committee has determined that no skyrockets or fireworks of a dangerous character will be allowed in this illumination. It will be of a brilliant character, but confined to such displays as will not be a menace to any one. This is in addition to the fact that the parade will be under the direct supervision of experienced men, and the complete precautions will be taken to guard against any accident.

The arrangements for illuminating the pageant will be such that the artistic beauty of the elaborate floats and their richly-costumed characters will be brought out to the fullest effect, and it will be a most gorgeous display.

The committee has not yet secured enough horses to carry out their plans, and any one who has horses to rent during carnival week is requested to address the Parade Committee.

Arrangements for the floral day parade are growing in magnitude, and it will be larger and more brilliant than any of the previous years. The floral day parade is a most interesting feature of the carnival, and the committee is doing its best to make it a success.

The advisory board has had under way for several days official badges for the fiesta committees, and it has been ascertained that samples will be ready to-night for inspection at fiesta headquarters at the fair grounds.

The races begin Saturday, April 13, preceding fiesta week, and will continue every day during fiesta week. In a former announcement it was stated that there would be no races Friday afternoon, April 13, but it is now stated that there will be races every day. The entries close March 23.

In the fiesta pageant in which they will make a display of their strength.

The Amusement Committee yesterday discussed several matters connected with the carnival ball, among other things deciding that it will be advisable to supply some amusement features for the spectators before the arrival of the queen and her retinue and the commencement of dancing.

The committee has received information that there are several sets of ladies in social circles who are arranging costumes and will spring charming surprises the night of the pageant.

The tournament of sports is being well planned and the bicycle events will consist of several events, for which, as well as for the other events, entries can now be made with Dr. William Kennedy, president of the Los Angeles Athletic Club. The entries will close April 10.

The Gentlemen's Riding Club held a meeting last night, and the members discussed the club act as amended, and the members of honor during fiesta week.

The club now has a membership of 28, with several applications which have not yet been acted upon by the Membership Committee.

## HEAVY FROSTS

IN THE NORTHERN COUNTIES OF THE STATE.

The Damage Done is Chiefly Confined to the Low Lands, Where There is a Great Excess of Moisture.

Associated Press Leased-Wire Service.

YACAVILLE (Cal.), March 15.—The fruit crop here is anything but encouraging today. Last night's frost finished the entire apricot crop on the valley land. Early plums and peaches are badly injured, 25 per cent. of the grapes and peaches are injured. The gross loss will probably reach \$250,000. The weather is now moderating and further danger is passed.

STOCKTON, March 15.—The heavy frost that prevailed in this vicinity last night and the night before has done great damage to growing fruit. Almond orchards around Acampo and Lodi have suffered considerable injury. In the small orchards straw was used for protection, but this way the trees were warmed from the cold. In large orchards, however, this was impracticable. The apricot crop in the vicinity of Lodi is killed and the growth of the almond crop is retarded by about two weeks. It is impossible to estimate the loss, but it will be considerable.

LODI (Cal.), March 15.—The entire Mokelumne Valley was visited with a heavy white frost last night, damaging all early vegetables and doing great injury to almond orchards and fruit trees. NAPA, March 15.—Quite heavy frosts have been experienced here for two nights past, but no great damage has been done so far. It may prove a serious loss to the growers of peaches, but the buds are so far advanced that they have not been materially injured.

NEWCASTLE, March 15.—Not the slightest damage is reported from the Newcastle foothills. Crops of every kind are safe, and the outlook is splendid. Orchardists are jubilant and prospects indicate a splendid season.

SACRAMENTO, March 15.—From the best information at hand it does not appear that any injury was done to young fruit in this section by the frost on Wednesday night. The atmosphere was dry and the frost very light.

SACRAMENTO, March 15.—The frost was quite heavy here, but it was dry, and it is thought but a trifle of damage was done to the fruit trees.

SACRAMENTO, March 15.—A severe frost last night did great damage to early fruit, especially in the foothill region.

## INSURANCE AGENTS.

Proposition to Form a Local Oakland Board.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 15.—Oakland insurance agents are in consultation with the Board of Fire Underwriters regarding the proposed formation of a local board, their idea being that the general board should regulate the rates of insurance with the subject of compensation to agents, and the Oakland agents being placed on a similar footing with those in San Francisco.

They want to be paid 20 per cent. commission on the business which they occupy their own offices, with the right to be paid either commission or salary when they are exclusively the agents of one company.

The Board of Fire Underwriters now anticipates an adverse decision in the case of the Continental Insurance Company against the board, and with this in view they are bending all their energies to bring the local boards, which had been formed in so many cities, into the commission and New South Wales asked if that colony would allow steamers to come on to New Zealand. The government of that colony is in favor of establishing a direct mail service via Vancouver, alternating every fortnight with San Francisco in negotiating for connecting service it was contemplated to include Samoa as well as Fiji.

Y. M. C. A.

Attached for Two Hundred and Sixty-two Dollars at San Jose.

Associated Press Leased-Wire Service.

OTTAWA (Ont.), March 15.—The Department of Commerce has been advised of negotiations for a rearrangement of the direct Australia steamship service.

The New Zealand government has received an offer from Huddart, Parker & Co. to run a connecting steamer between Fiji and Auckland or Wellington. The matter was considered by the government and it was thought better to have its own direct steamers to touch at Auckland or Wellington, and New South Wales asked if that colony would allow steamers to come on to New Zealand. The government of that colony is in favor of establishing a direct mail service via Vancouver, alternating every fortnight with San Francisco in negotiating for connecting service it was contemplated to include Samoa as well as Fiji.

Associated Press Leased-Wire Service.

SAN JOSE, March 15.—The Y.M.C.A. is in financial straits. Today it was attached for \$252 by the San Jose Association. The property is mortgaged for \$20,000, and much interest unpaid and other debts exist. A meeting of the trustees will be held tomorrow night to consider the financial question.

Adams Express Loss.

NEW YORK, March 15.—President Weil of the Adams Express Company today said he thought the loss sustained by his company in the wreck at Terre Haute this morning would reach \$100,000. The parcel lost will be in coin and bonds as this line carries a great portion of the banking business between St. Louis and the Atlantic Coast.

## SAILORS' YARN.

TWO MEN SPIN A STORY OF THE SEA.

They Say They are the Sole Survivors of a Crew of Thirty-one of the Ship Yeoman from Antwerp to Redondo.

Associated Press Leased-Wire Service.

PORTLAND (Or.), March 15.—The following dispatch was received tonight from Marshfield, Or.:

Daniel Clark and Thomas Moore, supposed to be the only survivors of a crew of thirty-one persons from the British ship Yeoman, arrived here last night on the schooner Leeds.

The Yeoman went down on the morning of February 23 in lat. 24 N., long. 45 W. She was bound from Antwerp to Redondo. Clark related the details of the loss of the ship and crew and his escape as follows:

"It was my watch on deck. The weather was perfectly calm, but I feared a heavy squall and began to shorten sail. I had ordered sail taken in, but scarcely had the sailors started to execute my command when a sudden squall struck us and the waters became very rough. A heavy swell like a tidal wave struck us, capsizing the ship. I was forward all the time, and as the sea swept the deck I was carried with it overboard. A lull followed, and the ship righted. I got on the ship again, and no one on deck. The cook was lying in the galley with his head split open and hardly alive. I went down into the cabin and found Capt. Ferguson and



## THE WEATHER.

DAILY BULLETIN.  
U. S. WEATHER BUREAU, Los Angeles,  
March 15.—At 5 o'clock a.m. the barometer  
registered 30.02, at 8 p.m. 30.12. Thermometer  
the corresponding hours showed 42 deg.  
and 63 deg. Maximum temperature, 63 deg.;  
minimum temperature, 28 deg. Character of  
weather, clear.  
Barometer reduced to sea level.

U. S. DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE  
WEATHER BUREAU. Reports received at Los  
Angeles, Cal., on March 15, 1895. GEORGE E.  
FRANKLIN, Observer. Observations taken at  
all stations at 8 p.m., EST meridian time.  
Place of Observation. Bar. Ther.  
Los Angeles, clear ..... 30.13 52  
San Diego, clear ..... 30.14 54  
San Luis Obispo, clear ..... 30.16 50  
Fresno, clear ..... 30.14 54  
San Francisco, clear ..... 30.18 50  
Sacramento, clear ..... 30.16 56  
Red Bluff, clear ..... 30.12 54  
Roseburg, cloudy ..... 30.08 50  
Portland, cloudy ..... 20.02 44

## ALL ALONG THE LINE.

San Diego county boasts of having over  
100 well-developed mines.

Riverdale has shipped 183,755 boxes of  
oranges thus far this season, or 652 car-  
loads.

San Diego has three Indian women of a  
ripe old age. One by the name of Rose is  
126 years old; Juana, 116; and Maria An-  
tonio, 108.

During the year 1893, in the region ad-  
jacent to San Diego Bay, 2390 acres of  
fruit trees were planted, 2000 of which are  
in lemon trees.

Orange county reports a large influx of  
farmers from the Eastern States this season,  
who are buying ranches and making  
permanent improvements. Orange county  
is an excellent region to settle in.

If all the real estate owners of this city  
would enter upon a vigorous general move-  
ment for better streets and sidewalks, they  
would find themselves more than repaid,  
upon the completion of the work, by the  
enhanced value of their property. Better  
streets and sidewalks are among the most  
conspicuous needs of our beautiful city.

There is at least one honest man in  
Redlands. He was asked to sell a piece of  
property for a friend, but before doing so  
went to the City Marshal and asked for a  
license. The Marshal hesitated to accept a  
license tax for so small a matter, but the  
man insisted on paying the fee. The  
Marshal has had so much trouble with  
the tax-license ordinance that this little  
episode almost staggered him.

The discussion of the question of grant-  
ing extensions of time to contractors for  
street work, it appears, is having a good  
effect in that those who have work under  
way are making haste to get it completed  
within the time allowed. The position  
taken by members of the City Council that  
extensions should be granted only in excep-  
tional cases is a sound one, and if firmly  
adhered to will prevent many abuses.

Mention was made recently of the man-  
ner in which Marcher, the jeweler who  
skipped from Los Angeles, "did up" an  
Eastern mining expert and his friend.  
In acknowledging a copy of the paper  
containing this item, the mining man  
writes that even Mr. Bouve, the gem ex-  
pert, was astonished at the close coun-  
terfeit of real gems sold by this man, and  
would not agree that they were imitations  
until he had tested them. It is  
said that these glass jewels are made  
in Austria in Vienna. There are several  
establishments in Los Angeles where they  
are sold.

The Ontario Record is excusable for  
doing a little "croaking" on account of  
the honors accorded to the lemon exhibit  
of Ontario at the Citrus Fair. It says:  
"Ontario has again demonstrated that it  
is the true habitat of the lemon. At the  
Southern California Citrus Fair Ontario  
captured practically every premium offered  
for lemons. Other towns made creditable  
displays, but when it came to awarding  
premiums they were simply not in it. In  
the 'thirties' one saw every fruit sub-  
mitted to the most severe chemical tests,  
and as the displays went by numbers  
only, the owner's name not appearing,  
there was no possible ground for favor-  
itism."

## CENTRAL W. C. T. U.

Interesting Meeting Held and Others  
that are Planned.

The regular meeting of the Central W.  
C. T. U. was held at headquarters yester-  
day. The devotions were opened by Mrs.  
Caster, who read from John xvii, and  
offered prayer, and closed with singing.  
The report of the parlor meeting which  
had been held at the home of Mrs. Gray,  
No. 225 Bellevue avenue, was read. Mrs.  
Saxton gave an address on "A Mother's  
Relations to Her Home and Children."  
Much interest was manifested. The ladies  
arranged for another meeting next month,  
when Mrs. Saxton will address them.

A report was next given of the recep-  
tion which was tendered to the national  
superintendent of Sunday-school work.  
The committee in charge had decorated  
the headquarters and a number were pres-  
ent. A pleasant social time was enjoyed  
and an excellent address given by Mrs.  
Irvine. Mr. Manning, of the National  
Food Society, was given fifteen minutes  
to present his manner of living on fruits,  
nuts, etc.—a very delightful system  
which would do away with much house-  
hold care and dish-washing.  
The meeting in the afternoon was of  
the Loyal Temperance Legion, when a  
recitation was given by one of the mem-  
bers and reports presented of the legions  
under the care of the union. The report  
of the Committee on Sunday-school Tem-  
perance Rally was heard and it was  
thought best to postpone the rally until  
April 1, when it is expected the Sunday-  
schools will turn out en masse. A meet-  
ing was planned for Sunday, March 24  
at 8 o'clock at the temple, at which time  
Mrs. Irvine, national superintendent of  
Sunday-school work, and Mrs. E. Steph-  
ens Matthews of England will be present.

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Angeles and return. This includes railroad,  
hotel and bus fare, a steamboat ride on one  
of the most beautiful lakes in the world, and  
the "hop" Saturday evening. Take the 11  
o'clock train at Santa Fe station. Those  
wishing to stop at the resort one week or  
longer, buy single-trip ticket and take a re-  
ceipt therefor. Present this to Royer &  
Frappan and a return ticket will be given  
free. Good any day in the week.

IF YOU DON'T  
Want burned food, cook it in an aluminum  
vessel. The Aluminum Store, No. 222 South  
Broadway.

A Knight of Pythias  
Is not tonight, tomorrow night or the night  
after, but some time all night when the fiery,  
untamed billy is on the rampage and a feast  
in prospect. Now that is a good place to  
eat, but another is in your own home, not a  
place you rent. We have ready-made places  
on monthly payments, just like rent, and on  
our proposition interest, taxes, etc., don't eat  
your head off. We'll treat you right. Lang-  
worthy Co., No. 226 South Spring, en haut.

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able favor, until it now has become one of the  
popular winter resorts of America's people of  
note and refinement. Pleasure seekers and vi-  
sitors of all classes are gratified without stint at  
the varied attractions, the abundance and char-  
acter of the pleasures and pastimes provided for  
the enjoyment of guests at this favored part of  
California. This may well be called the para-  
dise of the sportsman, as here there is boating,  
fishing, swimming in the hot and cold salt  
water tanks or in the surf, hunting, coursing  
with blooded hounds either on horseback or in  
a carriage. It has the finest driveways and roads  
for horseback exercises or bicycling on this coast.  
The hotel, which is the finest winter-resort ho-  
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including steam heat throughout the building.  
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keep the steam turned on rather than off. They  
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keys, or engineers to turn it on, but simple  
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## AMERICAN CITIZENSHIP.

THE FAREWELL LECTURE BY  
J. Q. A. HENRY.

Musio Hall Was Crowded with an  
Enthusiastic Audience—The  
A. P. A. Were Much  
in Evidence.

Rev. J. Q. A. Henry delivered a stirring  
lecture upon the dangers of Romanism in  
America, at Music Hall last evening. The  
speaker was very earnest and vehement  
all through, and seemed completely car-  
ried away by his subject. The audience  
was equally enthusiastic, and so thor-  
oughly in sympathy with the speaker that  
he was frequently interrupted by bursts of  
tumultuous applause and deafening cheers.  
The keynote of the lecture was "Liberty  
of Thought, Faith and Choice of Govern-  
ment." These three elements, acting in  
connection with the revolution of 1776,  
gave to the world a new type of manhood,  
education, soldiery and citizenship  
known as the American citizen, and the  
best proof of the past. The speaker  
warned the audience of the danger to this  
liberty which lies in the flood of  
alien influence which threatens to swamp  
our country.

Romanism, said he, is the core of this  
foreign element, and will never become  
other than utterly alien to all forms of  
American liberty. Roman Catholics, what-  
ever their nationality, are an alien people  
with foreign ideas, prejudices and cus-  
toms. The Romanist is born and edu-  
cated for a world that has ceased to ex-  
ist. Rome looks back to the dark ages  
and wishes to drag the world to the period  
when the power of papacy was supreme.  
America is the type of eternal progress.  
All faithful citizens of the Stars and  
Stripes must throw off allegiance to the  
court of Rome. The idea of "religion from  
Rome and politics from Washington" will  
not stand.

In this country about 9,000,000 souls  
profess the Romish faith. The Roman  
hierarchy is only 10,000, but all the  
power is theirs, and is a power capable of  
working mischief in the land.  
Romanism is the same, past, present  
and future. To it is due much of the  
political corruption that has stained the  
pages of our country. Tammany Hall was  
but Jesuit Hall; and the Roman church  
claims most of the political "bosses" of  
today. This evoked much applause. Full  
religious liberty means to believe or not,  
practice or not, according to individual  
conviction. The scriptures were given to  
the world to read and to interpret, and  
slavery is impossible when the word of  
God is exalted over all.

The little State of Rhode Island was  
the first place in the world to guarantee  
full religious liberty to all men; and this  
liberty is threatened by the Roman  
church today. The supremacy of the Pope  
is not a fiction of the past, but a reality  
of the present. The fight over the schools  
is a proof of the alarming spread of the  
papal power. The desire to keep the  
people in intellectual childhood by the use  
of garbled textbooks and by the suppres-  
sion of non-sectarian public schools, is one  
of the worst features of the Romish hier-  
archy. With much eloquence the speaker  
declared: "The battle is upon us. Put  
none but Americans on guard. Let Ameri-  
cans rule their own land and teach their  
own schools. Protect American labor from  
the influx of foreigners. All our officials  
should be American men, and the crime of  
either neglecting or selling a vote should  
be followed by disfranchisement and heavy  
punishment. Immigration should be  
strictly controlled, and the grants of public  
lands to foreigners. The time of qualification  
for the suffrage should be much extended,  
and a certain amount of education and  
knowledge of the laws of the land should  
be made the first requirement. The influence  
of America in the world is such as to  
place her as the leader of humanity, and  
the Stars and Stripes should be upheld as  
the grandest emblem of civil and religious  
liberty the world has ever known."

## WONG CHEE IS HELD.

The Suspected Chinaman Was Put  
Under Bonds.

The preliminary examination of Wong  
Chee, Wong Wing and Wong Cheuy, on  
the charge of murder, growing out of the  
recent highbinder war in Chinatown which  
resulted in the death of Lou Suey, was  
called in Justice Morrison's court yester-  
day afternoon. Deputy District Attorney  
James appeared for the people and Henry  
T. Gage for the prisoners.

Mr. Gage stated that the defendants  
had no evidence to submit at present  
and would waive examination. He thereupon  
moved that his clients be admitted to  
bail.  
The court asked whether the prosecution  
would consent to this. Mr. James said  
it would not; it was a responsibility which  
the court would have to assume if it saw  
fit to admit any of the prisoners to bail.  
The court finally decided to accept  
bonds for Wong Chee and fixed the amount  
at \$10,000. Wong Wing and Wong Cheuy  
he held without bail. All to be tried on the  
charge of murder in the Superior Court.  
Up to a late hour last night Wong Chee  
had been unable to furnish satisfactory  
bondsmen. His friends telephoned to a  
wealthy Chinaman at San Bernardino to  
go on his bond, but the matter has not  
yet been fixed up.

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Shirts, laundered, and soft bosoms, Oxfords, Ma-  
dras, Zephyrs and Linens, very choice colors and  
styles. We don't see how a shirt could be better  
made. Perhaps you've paid \$2 for many \$1.50  
a one not so good. Today at..... \$1.50

**Men's Hats.** Derbys and Fedoras,  
just as shapely as can  
be; all the newest colors. The maker knows how  
to make good hats and says "these are the best he  
ever turned out." We never saw so good a hat go at  
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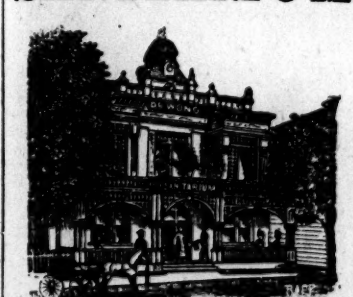
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today in the domestic department; every piece and  
every yard is new and at the new tariff reduced prices.  
Plenty of hair cloth; plenty of fibre chamois, the two scarce  
articles in the market. The Butterick Publishing Co. noti-  
fies their agents that the April Delineator and fashions will  
be much later than usual this month owing to the large  
demand for the March patterns; as soon as we get definite  
information we will notify the public through this adver-  
tisement; in the meantime we have largely replenished our  
big sleeve and skirt stocks; we are showing an entire new  
line of all wool suits; separate skirts and silk skirts; they  
are the new and important articles in the cloak room. More  
new capes in choice new styles; they are the choicest goods  
yet shown and what is still better the prices are most reason-  
able. For the past three days we have been opening up new  
goods of every kind and style; new cotton crepes in all  
shades for evening wear. New millinery of every kind and  
style; the head milliner is now in the midst of the choicest  
lot of new ideas for the coming spring; the styles are the  
best we have ever shown and the prices are the lowest. All  
through the house the one thing that has been considered  
has been the price; we realize that money is not as plentiful  
as oranges this year; for that reason we have been studying  
your economy in a big reduction in the prices with the one  
idea of largely increasing the sales; new sailor hats in the  
latest shapes from 25c to \$1.50 each. We are showing new  
carriage parasols in good shapes for 75c and \$1; fine silk  
umbrellas \$1.25 and \$1.50; the best line yet shown. We are  
more than doubling the notion trade; we have more than  
doubled the space; we have more than doubled the stock;  
we are selling a large lot of staple notions for less than value  
on the bargain counter; this is the great place for lace and  
embroidery bargains; these goods are being sold for about  
half price; if you need anything in notions and want to buy  
them for less than value don't fail to visit the bargain  
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## Newberry's.

Watch this space. Time will prove which house is "head-  
quarters" for groceries.

Olive Oil Howland's, quarts..... 1 10  
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Good's, quarts..... 1 0  
These prices, and all prices we have quoted in this paper, are not "special prices"  
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## Heavy Influx of Cattle from Old Mexico.

The New Arizona Road is Attracting a Good Class of New Settlers.

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The announcement of the Santa Fe that the second-class cut rate would be restored on the 17th, instead of the 14th, as at first announced, has caused the agents of the opposing roads to exercise their minds as to the exact position of the Santa Fe in thus altering the date. It is contended that, practically, this is a new cut; that the rate not having been restored on the 14th, as announced, ten days' notice would be required before a restoration of rates can be made legitimately, under the terms of the passenger agreement. Of course, the point sought to be made is that the Santa Fe is desirous to sell at the cut rate as long as possible. As a matter of fact, the cut in rates has not affected the passenger situation at all. The amount of east-bound travel is small, and any one desirous of going via Salt Lake would not be deterred by such a small cut as \$2.50.

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The third annual convention of the Teachers' Association, which will meet on the 25th, 26th and 27th inst., has caused the Southern California road to offer a one-and-one-third rate for return tickets from points in the seven southern counties. A very large attendance is anticipated, as this will be the most important gathering of the association yet held.

### CATTLE SHIPMENTS.

The shipments of cattle from Arizona over the Southern Pacific are phenomenally large just at present. There were two trainloads on Thursday, of twenty-three cars, two yesterday and three today. The supposition is that these cattle are from Mexico, and are being shipped to the northern grazing grounds before the law goes into effect on the 1st of April, when a tax of \$5 per head will be imposed on every head of cattle brought across the Mexican border. Generally speaking, the Southern Pacific is rushed with freight just now. Several additional train crews have been put on within the last month, and two new crews have again been put on this week.

### THE ENGLISH RAILROADS.

During the past six years the ratio of expenses to income has steadily risen with the English railroads, and this in spite of the decreasing cost of most materials. The gross receipts of the twelve principal English lines amounted to \$23,206,217, against \$21,328,658 during the second half of 1933, an increase of about \$1,877,000, which is at the rate of 6 per cent. This increase, says the London Times, is a very small one, considering the fact that the receipts of 1933 or 1932, and considering that general trade was far from good last year, a recovery to the level of 1932, is, perhaps, as much as could be expected. The expenditure last year was \$13,364,685, against \$12,964,902 in 1933, an increase of about \$400,000, or 3 per cent, which would be modest when compared with the fact that the figures of 1933 only showed a decrease of about \$100,000 in 1932, for though less mileage was run, the cost was much more. It follows, therefore, that with about the same gross revenue as in 1932, there has been in 1934 an addition of \$300,000 to the expenditure.

### MEXICAN EARNINGS.

The comparative earnings of Mexican railroads for the fiscal week ending the 9th inst., were as follows: The gross receipts of the Intercontinental were \$49,378.99, as compared with the corresponding week of 1934. The approximate earnings of the Mexican Central whose system was \$135,232.59, against \$139,344.28; and for the whole month \$689,411.30, against \$681,516.31. The gross earnings of the Mexican National Railroads for the week were \$94,907.76, against \$83,040.78; and for the month \$322,331, against \$320,501.91 for the same period in 1934.

### A PASSENGER CONTRACT.

An interesting case in which the courts have again held that a ticket is an evidence of contract has recently been decided. The suit was established by Mulford & McKenzie, ticket brokers, to recover the value of certain coupon tickets issued by that road over the Lake Erie and Western road, and which the latter, when in the hands of a receiver, was, by order of court, forbidden to accept the judgment rendered against the Alton. The court, in deciding upon the matter, used the following significant language: "I find as to each of the tickets in question that the evidence is strong enough to imply a special undertaking by the defendant to carry the holder of the ticket to the station stamped on the margin. A railroad company may lawfully contract to convey passengers beyond its own line, provided its own line is a part of the journey. A railroad ticket is not a mere voucher, showing that the railroad fare had been paid, but it is certainly something more. While the entire contract between a company selling a ticket and the purchaser thereof may not be expressed on the ticket, yet the ticket is evidence of a contract, and is conclusive as to all expressed on it."

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General Manager Wade and the other officials of the Southern California road returned yesterday from Phoenix with little else than good words to say for the, perhaps, most prosperous town in Arizona. The festivities in celebration of the opening of the Santa Fe, Phoenix and Prescott road were a success, and to many Eastern visitors one feature, at least, was an object lesson long to be remembered. In the procession, made up as it was of a varied assemblage representing almost every phase of frontier life, came some seventy-five Indian bucks arrayed in all the paint and feather decorations peculiar to their tribe. They represented the Arizona of the past. Then followed many youths and girls, nicely dressed, fit to compare with school children from any other section of Uncle Sam's domain, walking slowly about carefully along as representatives of the Arizona of today.

About 200 people went to Phoenix from Colorado, and the special cars loomed up in surprisingly large number. Capitalists as well as settlers are alive to the advantage offered by the new line, for not only is a rich mining section of country opened up, but the Great Salt River Valley will now be made to yield a rich return. The local men had an eye to business while

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The officers of the Hospital of the Good Samaritan are as follows: Rev. John Gray, president; William Priddy, first vice-president; Mrs. M. S. Severance, second vice-president; Mrs. J. M. Elliott, treasurer, and H. W. Latham, secretary.

A non-sectarian charitable institution of this kind in Los Angeles fills a long-felt want, and it should receive the earnest co-operation and support of all public-spirited and charitably-disposed citizens. It is the only free Protestant hospital in the city, and with its present equipment, is entirely inadequate to meet the demands upon an institution of that character in a city of 75,000 inhabitants. Such a state of affairs will continue to exist, to the discredit of the city, until an amount is subscribed sufficient to cover the cost of the proposed building.

The following is quoted from a pamphlet recently issued by the officers of the hospital: "It is the expressed intention of the hospital to minister to suffering humanity without distinction of race, creed or condition, and to forbid the entrance of no patient, nor such attendance temporarily or spiritually, as patients may desire."

These facts are presented to the charitable disposed at this time for the reason that still further assistance is needed.

### Reading at Boyle Heights.

Mrs. Sylvia Chapman Martin, daughter of Rev. F. S. Chapman, gave a charming group of readings and recitations last evening at the Boyle Heights Methodist Episcopal Church. Mrs. Martin is a finished elocutionist, and her very attractive personality lends a great charm to her sympathetic interpretation of the best-known fine de society story-writers. She gave exquisitely-rendered selections from James Whitcomb Riley, H. C. Bunner, Mary E. Wilkins, Austin Dobson and Thomas Bailey Aldrich, and the manner in which she identified herself with each in turn showed unusual talent as a reader. Mrs. Martin was assisted by piano solos and duets, rendered by Mrs. W. R. Carter, Miss Nellie Clark and Arthur Browne Uvedale.

### ELECTRIC OIL HEATERS.

There are no stories on the market that approach these. They are the best made, the strongest heating, the most perfect work of their class, and the most giving the best and purest combustion it is possible to secure in a stove of this kind. The evaporation of the water in the reservoir, located within the burner, creates a mild and healthful atmosphere in the room. One wick will last a whole season. They are graceful, symmetrical and are real stoves. See them at the W. C. Curry Store Co., Nos. 159 to 163 North Spring street.

### DID YOU KNOW

That aluminum vessels last a lifetime? The Aluminum Store, No. 222 South Broadway.

THE Nadeau café serves a 50c dinner including a bottle of Zinfandel, Riesling or beer.

WALL-PAPER, cut rates. Chicago, No. 328 South Spring.

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### THE DOCTORS FAILED.

Then Jenks Studied Up His Own Disease and Cured Himself.

(From the Providence, R. I., Bulletin.)

There are but few diseases, and that puzzle physicians more than rheumatism. There are a great many theories as to its cause, and a great many theories as to the best means of curing it, most of which are absurd. One of the greatest sources of rheumatism known in the annals of medicine is John G. Jenks, of Riverside, R. I. He became the victim of rheumatism while in the army, and the disease seems to have given him a taste of all its various tortures. Physicians and medicines failed to give him any relief, until at last he effected his own deliverance from the bonds of pain. "Rheumatism," said Mr. Jenks, when the subject was broached by a reporter who went to hear his story. "Well, I should say I do know something about it; I learned by actual experience, too. I first contracted rheumatism in the army, and I have had every variety of the affliction since, and have suffered such agony with it that at times death was a pleasant thought to dwell upon. 'Take medicine! Enough to stock a drug store, and none of it did me any good. Then I began to study the disease myself. I made up my mind to get acquainted with the enemy and fight it on different lines. I had a theory of my own, and began to look around for a remedy that was calculated to have the desired effect. One after another was







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How doth the one who'd busy be  
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The goods he has for sale.  
—Printer's Ink.

Another sensational cut-price sale today at Burger's. The great consignment sale of lace, embroideries and handkerchiefs now on at about one-half the usual prices. We have been selected as the selling agents for the celebrated Schilling corsets, and, by the consent of the manufacturers, we place on sale today and continue until sold 1000 famous American Lady corsets that usually sell for \$1.75; introduction price, 95 cents; in black or drab, all sizes. Don't miss it. Children's corded waists, the 50-cent kind, the 25-cent kind, the 10-cent kind of fine gold-plated silk pins, set with pearls, turquoises or ruby doublets, that are worth \$1, at 25 cents (fifty pairs to select from). French perfumes at 25 cents per ounce, worth 50 cents; French Rose Leaves, at 10 cents per ounce; Florida orange root, powdered, at 5 cents an ounce; French Cologne at 7 cents per ounce, at Burger's, No. 235 South Spring street, between Second and Third streets.

Saturday special sale at Vollmer's, No. 118 South Spring street, near First street. Today will be one of extraordinary interest to our customers. Come early. Silverware department—25 quadruple-plated hand-engraved teaspoons, today only \$2.50 each; 50 quadruple-plated hand-engraved butter dishes and knife today only \$1.25; glassware department—500 blown tumblers, entirely new engraving, 6 cents each; 500 blown tumblers, entirely new engraving, new 6 cents each; 1000 engraved decanters, your choice of several styles today only 25 cents each; 1000 Alden patent-shaker salts and peppers today only 10 cents each. We have received another shipment of the genuine Wedgewood china, which we offer today at special prices.

Desmond, in the Bryson Block, can't see how his stock of spring and summer goods, \$2.00 and \$2.50 soft and stiff hats, stands room for competition in this town. As a matter of fact, they don't. Desmond has met the public and they are his to supply with everything in the line of hats, neckwear, gloves, collars, cuffs, underwear, etc. etc. It is hard to see Desmond's prices; they're so small, and near-sighted people need spectacles to discover them.

Y.W.C.A. chorus class meets with Mrs. M. E. Auer at No. 107 North Spring street at 10 a.m. today; Sunday, 3:45 p.m.; gospel meeting led by Miss M. Mainbois of Washington; Bible class at 3 p.m.; all women invited. Rev. J. Q. A. Henry of San Francisco will speak in the interest of the Y.W.C.A. Sunday evening at the First Baptist Church, corner Broadway and Sixth street.

An elegant mansion—There is in this city a magnificent, large residence offered for sale; elegant and expensive in its appointments, with elegant large and expensive improved grounds. It is not on any real estate agent's list, and for full particulars inquire of W. Garland & Co., sole agents, No. 207 South Broadway.

Rev. A. C. Hurst, D.D., of San Francisco will preach morning and evening in the First Methodist Episcopal Church, Sunday, March 17; subject, "The Ideal Church," and "The Battlefield of Reason." As a pulpit orator the doctor has no superior on the Pacific Coast.

A large sectional map of the nine southern counties of California, elegantly mounted, given away with one year's subscription to the Daily Times, or with one year's subscription to the Saturday Times and Weekly Mirror, and \$1 additional.

The great fire sale at the Golden Rule Bazaar is going on and soon the balance of the stock will be sold out. Don't wait, and secure a big bargain. No. 347 South Spring street, between Second and Third streets.

It's a rare stroke of economy to take advantage of Desmond's big 25-cent suspender and neckwear sale today, and those who fail to drop into his store, No. 141 South Spring street, will be out of pocket.

A new delicacy store will be opened today at No. 435 South Spring street. The very choicest goods will be handled, and every effort made by the management to satisfy the most fastidious.

Rev. A. C. Bane will preach at Trinity Methodist Church, Broadway, Sunday morning; subject, "The price, the Lamb's Wife." Evening subject, "Too Busy."

For tally-ho rides to Pasadena, Baldwin's ranch and San Gabriel Mission, register four names at St. George stables, No. 510 South Broadway.

Fifty cents round trip on Terminal Roadway to Long Beach and San Pedro. Good going Saturday and Sunday, returning Monday.

One fare for the round trip on Sunday from Los Angeles to any point on the Southern California Railway (Santa Fe route).

Peniel Hall services tomorrow; Sabbath-school at 9:30; Dr. Breese preaches at 11; Mrs. Ferguson at 3, and Mr. Studd at night.

Kregelo & Breese, funeral directors, corner Sixth and Broadway. Open day and night. Lady attendant. Telephone No. 243.

Four-fold gospel services tomorrow at 11 a.m. and 7:30 p.m., at Gospel Tabernacle, No. 107 1/2 North Main street.

Mai-Gee, C. Howard, speaks in Simpson Tabernacle Sunday night. That means a crowded house.

A complete circuit of the Kito-shaped track on Sunday. Trains leave La Grande Station at 7 and 9 a.m.

First Baptist Church, morning sermon, D. Read; evening sermon, J. Q. A. Henry; Sunday-school, 9:30.

H. F. MacLennan speaks at the Y.M.C.A. tomorrow, "Misplaced Switches." All invited; 3 p.m.

Mantels, tiles, office fittings, hardwood lumber, H. Bohman, No. 514 South Spring. A large, well-lighted front room on the third floor of Times Building for rent.

Buy the Whitney new line of trunk. Factory, No. 423 South Spring street. If you want a swim or a clean bath go to the Natatorium.

Sweet Redlands oranges at Althouse Bros. Dr. Cochran, Bradbury Block; tel. 371. Wear Barren's shoes every time. Corsets fitted at the Unique.

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#### PERSONALS.

I. N. Topf and wife of Cleveland, O., are at the Westminster.

A. N. Trowbridge and wife of San Francisco are at the Nadeau.

Edward L. Clark and wife of New Haven, Ct., are at the Hollenbeck.

Mrs. Ed Rodaki and Miss L. Hoffman of San Francisco are quartered at the Nadeau.

Mrs. J. E. Baxter and John H. Wilson of Chicago have returned to the Hotel Ramona.

Mrs. W. V. Huntington and daughter of San Francisco are stopping at the Hollenbeck.

J. A. Hagemeyer and wife of New York are among the Eastern arrivals at the Westminster.

Gen. E. H. Murray of San Diego came up yesterday. He will be a member of the Loyal Legion party to Echo Mountain today.

Dr. W. A. Winder, recently appointed by President Cleveland as special agent of allotment of lands to the Indians in South Dakota, is stopping at the Hollenbeck.

J. Scott Oliver of this city has been chosen vice-president of a company publishing a monthly periodical called America, which is issued simultaneously in 300 different cities.

Mr. and Mrs. John H. Norton, formerly of Arizona, have returned from Long Beach, where they have been staying for the last six months, both having improved very much in health.

Dr. Higbee of St. Paul, Minn., arrived yesterday, and is staying for a few days at the Hollenbeck. He is very enthusiastic over the glories of Southern California and expresses himself as being very glad to be here again.

Among the arrivals at the Hotel Lillie were: O. G. Wild, New York; E. A. Rodgers, wife and son, Portland, Me.; George Ellsworth Holmes and wife, Miss Helen and Phyllis Holmes and maid, Chicago.

W. C. Patterson has returned from Arizona, whither he went to attend the celebration of the opening of the Santa Fe, Prescott and Phoenix Railroad. He was delighted with the trip and predicts a great future for the country traversed by the new road.

Mr. and Mrs. George Whitton of Marshalltown, Iowa, arrived in the city yesterday, and will visit friends here till after the fleet.

Mr. Whitton is a prominent dry goods merchant at Marshalltown, and owns a twenty-acre orange orchard at Ontario. He is not a stranger to Southern California.

Associated Charities. The Associated Charities will have a little sale during next week to dispose of some articles kindly donated for the benefit of the association.

Among the articles are: a banquet lamp of filigree brass, with a pretty shade of gold-colored silk; a handsome sideboard of carved oak; a fanciful white and gold clock and a large sofa cushion of pale pink satin, beautifully embroidered with pink daisies, which was made by Mrs. Leon Bessinger and presented to the association to be sold for the benefit of its noble work.

ODDS AND ENDS.

All Odd Lots of Shoes to be Sold at Ruinously Low Prices.

This Cut in Prices to Last Only Fourteen Days, Therefore Don't Lose Any Time to Get Double Value for Your Money.

The Mammoth Shoe House, Nos. 315 and 317 South Spring street, between Third and Fourth, is reassembling its stock, and before doing so will sell all odd lots at fearfully low prices.

Some factories we quit altogether, changing for better ones. Some lines of shoes we discontinue altogether, some styles of toes become undesirable.

We are overstocked in small-sized ladies' shoes.

These circumstances create odds and ends and we are selling them at low prices.

The Mammoth carries no old stock over. They must go at any price.

For above reasons we have concluded to make a deep cut in the price of that class of goods and give the benefit to our patrons and the public, who have patronized this store so liberally.

Come and see us today if you need any shoes and we will save you money.

Our loss will be your gain. We mean what we say. The odds and ends will all be displayed. The prices are all marked in plain figures. They speak for themselves.

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Dr. Edward J. Hadfield, Physician and surgeon, 210-211 Broadway, Tel. 125. Residence, 539 Olive, Tel. 1198.

EASTER opening fine millinery. Of all the pretty millinery this Coast, Mrs. C. Deech's excels. Ladies, you never saw anything like the beautiful creations in headgear. Just step in, below Third, on Spring, where Mrs. Deech will give you a genuine bargain on account of low expenses.

GOING TO CARLSBAD

isn't necessary now. Carlsbad is coming to you. At least, the health-giving part of it is. You get every curative quality that has made the place famous for hundreds of years, in the Carlsbad Sprudel Water and Salt.

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Beware of the many worthless imitations sold as "Improved," or "artificial" Carlsbad Salt. These are only a mixture of common Glauber Salt or Seidlitz Powder, sold by unscrupulous dealers for the larger profit they yield.

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#### Police Court Notes.

In Justice Morrison's court yesterday Ah Wong, for violation of the lottery ordinance, was fined \$25, which he promptly paid.

Flossy Devine, the cyprion who leant from the Police Court a few days ago, was sentenced to 100 days in jail, but commitment suspended till she can be found.

The cases of fifteen Chinese prostitutes arrested for vagrancy were postponed till the 23d inst.

In Justice Owens's court Woo Que was given 60 or sixty days for running an opium joint.

Eva King, alias Carrie Smith, the young woman, who in a fit of jealousy attempted to shoot George Green a short time ago, was brought before Justice Morrison yesterday for preliminary examination, but the case was postponed till 3 o'clock this afternoon.

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We are showing today a very large line of Men's Extra Quality Spring Fedora Hats in the new shades of army blue, chestnut and seal brown, steel gray and black; these goods are such that we cannot help but recommend to your special attention; no such quality was ever offered, even by us at \$3; today's price... \$2.50

N. B.—Bear in mind no matter what prices others make on Furnishing Goods or Hats, you can always get same goods for less money or better goods for same money from us.

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